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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Daniel Smith, et al.

Serial No: 10/006,337

Group: 1751

Filed: December 3, 2001

Examiner: J. Hardee

For: Thickened Fabric Conditioners

Mail Stop Petition  
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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(c)**

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.137(b) applicant hereby petitions to revive the above identified application which was unintentionally abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper reply to the Official Action dated July 21, 2003.

1. This application became abandoned on January 22, 2004.
2. This petition is filed:  
☒ within one year of the date of abandonment.  
☐ within three months of the date of the first decision on a petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(a) which was filed within one year of the date of abandonment.  
☐ the three month period has been extended up to \_\_\_\_\_.
3. This application became abandoned unintentionally due to the fact the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office has no record of receiving applicant's response and one month extension of time to the 7/21/03 official action. The aforementioned response and extension of time included a return receipt postcard and a certificate of first class mailing stating the papers were deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents on 10/21/03. The date-stamped postcard was never returned to applicant and the Examiner responsible for this application, Mr. J. Hardee, stated he had never received applicant's response of 7/27/03. Accordingly, applicant believes the aforementioned response was lost.
4. A response to the Official Action dated 7/21/03:  
☒ is attached herewith.

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has been filed.

is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application copending with this application.

5. Since this utility application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

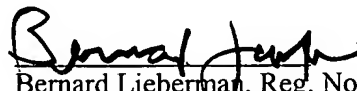
6. Fee 37 CFR 1.17(m): Other than small entity - fee \$1,640.00

7. Payment of fee:

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Charge the petition fee of \$ 1,640.00 to Deposit Account No. 03-2455. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee(s), if required, to Deposit Account No. 03-2455. A duplicate of this petition is attached as well as the Issue Fee Due and any other fees that might be due.

Respectfully submitted,



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